

bamboos, G. C. sheets are going to be supplied free of cost?

Mr. SPEAKER.—The answer is given.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—What is the amount of Takavi loan given to these people?

Sri M. P. PATIL.—Takavi loan Rs. 2,325 and fodder have been given.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—Is that amount sufficient for reconstructing the houses and huts for those people?

Sri M. P. PATIL.—As far as I know that amount is sufficient. Supposing it is found inadequate more money will be provided.

Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—May I know the number of families that sought for the relief in the form of Takavi loan?

Sri M. P. PATIL.—Sixteen.

Sri J. H. SHAMSUDDIN.—Have all the families been rehabilitated?

Sri M. P. PATIL.—I presume so.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Question time is over.

QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(But not taken up)

Starting of Basic Agricultural Schools.

Q.—446. **Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA** (Hospet).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of students admitted in the Basic Agricultural Schools at Somanahalli in Mandya District and at Ramakrishna Krishi Shala in Bangalore District;

(b) whether there are proposals to start new schools in Coorg, Dharwar, Bijapur, Raichur, Chitaldroog, and Gulbarga Districts?

A.—Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(a) Somanahalli—

1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
24	47	120

Ramakrishna Krishi Shala—

1955-56	1956-57	1957-58
23	41	60

(b) (i) A Basic Agricultural School is being started at Kudige (Coorg). (Action is being taken to start the school in anticipation of orders of Government during the current year).

(ii) The present Agricultural School at Bagalkot (Bijapur District) and Devihosur (Dharwar District), Bombay Karnatak are being upgraded as Basic Agricultural Schools. Action is being taken in this behalf also in anticipation of orders of Government and the Schools will start functioning during June, 1957.

(iii) There is already a Basic Agricultural School at Munirabad (Raichur District) and it is proposed to shift it to Dhadesagur (Raichur District), where facilities are available to give practical training to the students.

(iv) A training course has been started at Hebbal from 1st May 1957 and training is being given to those who had received training at the Extension Training Centre, Mandya. These candidates are S.S.L.Cs. with no qualification in Basic Agricultural Education.

Scheduled Castes persons sent to foreign for Higher Studies.

Q.—475. **Sri C. M. ARUMUGHAM** (Kolar Gold Fields—Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

whether they have sent any Scheduled Caste persons to foreign countries for training in Engineering and other Mechanical Course during the last ten years?

A.—Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—

No.